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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on April 25, 2005, Applicant responds as follows.

Amendments to the Claims are shown in the listing of claims beginning on page 2 of this document.

Remarks begin at page 4 of this document.